

## TRIAL OF PREACHER UNDER KOREAN LAW

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PYENG YANG, Korea, May 10.—That the accused did not know he was sheltering agitators was one of the main points in the defense of Rev. E. M. Mowry of Mansfield, O., who appeared from a sentence of six months in the lower court for having harbored Korean leaders, and whose case was heard in the appeal court of Pyeng Yang today. Judge Hashimoto presided and Public Prosecutor Mitsui represented the prosecution.

Mr. Mowry was defended by Dr. S. Uzuwa, a prominent lawyer of Tokyo, assisted by three barristers from Seoul and Pyeng Yang. In the audience were R. C. Curtis, the American vice consul at Seoul, ten or more American missionaries and several foreign women.

Answering questions put to him by the judge, Mr. Mowry denied knowledge of, or participation in, the agitation scheme planned by students of Sungshu university. He admitted that he gave shelter at his house to Yi Pook and four other Koreans but denied that he conspired with them because of knowing that they were wanted by the police in connection with the agitation. He had admitted them simply out of compliance with their request, as they were his pupils or employees.

Public Prosecutor Mitsui argued that the point of the present case was whether or not the defendant was aware that the Koreans he gave shelter to were offenders liable to a legal punishment heavier than a fine. He declared that the Rev. Mr. Mowry's denial was scarcely to be accepted and that the judgment pronounced by the court of first instance should be upheld.

Refuting this argument, Dr. Uzuwa said that the allegation that the defendant was aware of the fact that the Koreans were wanted by the police was not fully established. According to his personal investigation, the room in which the defendant gave them shelter was his study, and was one nearest to the road, so it was in full view from the outside.

this was evidence that he harbored an intention of specially sheltering them from capture by the police. Dr. Uzuwa urged that the judgment pronounced at the preliminary examination be quashed and Mr. Mowry set free. Dr. Uzuwa's colleagues also pleaded for Mr. Mowry. Decision was reserved.

The appeal court sentenced the Rev. Mr. Mowry on May 18 to four months in prison. He appealed to the highest court.

### AUTO STAGE LINES WILL BE HELD TO SCHEDULES

In an opinion given at the request of the public service commission, Robert Richards, deputy attorney general, has held that the commission has the right to require all persons or corporations operating a transportation system, either for hauling of freight or passengers, to file schedules and rates. The opinion was given by the commission as a result of the numerous complaints made by short line railroads at the practice of automobile and truck owners who are making a business of hauling freight and passengers between towns in Nevada.

In line with the deputy attorney general's opinion the public service commission has adopted rules under which licenses to operate will be granted to automobiles and trucks to be used to transport freight and passengers.

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## AMERICANS BID FOR NEW TRADE

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MEXICO CITY, Mex., June 4.—American business organizations are taking steps to obtain a share of Mexican import and export trade. Competition for this business is keen because with the signing of the armistice, British, French, Japanese, Spanish, Scandinavian and German representatives became active.

The American Chamber of Commerce, representing numerous large concerns, has recently completed reorganization and W. F. Saunders, formerly secretary of the Young Men's Business League of St. Louis, Mo., has come to Mexico City to act as secretary. New quarters have been secured and an energetic campaign for more business has been mapped out.

The Chicago Chamber of Commerce has opened a branch office here and according to newspaper accounts, the commercial clubs of El Paso, Dallas, San Antonio and Houston, Texas, contemplate having representatives in this city.

Los Angeles, San Diego, Sacramento and other California cities for some time have had trade agents busy on the west coast of Mexico with a view to diverting business in their direction.

Ambitious programs of trade expansion have also been planned by federal officials here, their attitude being reflected in the reported efforts being made to improve transportation.

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